NAPOLEON THE THIRD.

An Interview Between the Emperor and John S. C. Aubott.

From the New Haven Journal and Courier, No. 9 Rue Castiolione, Paris, Marca I, 1867

My Dear Sir:—It is with no little hesitation that I venture to write this hule. It may expose me to unpleasant remark. But, with a cau-tious pen, I will endeavor to describe some incidents which I think will interest my friends in New Haven.

Three days ago I had a private interview with the Emperor. He received me by the freside, entirely alone, in one of the interior parlors of the palace, and with the most gratifying cordulity. With apparently perfect transfers he conversed for nearly an hour upon all the great questions of the day, expressing gratitude for the justice which had been done by my pen to the Emperor Napoleon I, and his satisfaction that the acts of his own administra-tion were to be recorded in a friendly spirit.

While informing the Emperor that I had explored the libraries and bookstalls of Paris obtain every book and pampalet which had been published during the difteen years of his reign, upon the domestic policy and foreign diplomacy of France, and that I had an agent in London to purchase every publication there upon those subjects, and that I was anxious to obtain such documentary evidence as would carry the conviction of the truth of my narrative to every impartial mind, I said: -

"When I redect upon the oirth of your Majesty in Paris, the first empire then in the zenith of its glory—the birth of the Imperial Prince welcomed, not only by the ringing of all the bells of the metropolis, and the firing of the guns of the Invalides, but also by every demonstration of joy from Hamburg to Rome, and from the Pyrenees to the Danube-the overthrow of the empire by the Allied Powers, and the expulsion of the Bonaparte family from France—the retirement of Queen Hortense, with her two sons, to the secladed castle of Arnenburg-the careful education of the young princes these solitudes-their vontaful enthusiasm in joining the Italian pairiots in their en-deavor to throw off the Austrian yoke—the death of the elder brother, in your Majesty's arms, from the exhaustion of the disastrous campaign-the expulsion of Queen Hortense and her surviving child from the continent of Europe—your Majesty's wanderings in America -the return to fingland-the unsuccessful en-terprises of Strasbourg and Boulogne-the final expulsion of the Bourbons from France-the welcome your Majesty received, on your return to your native land, by being elected to the Chamber of Deputies by the almost unanimous vote of Paris-your speedy election as President of the Republic, by nearly six millions of votes—the coup de'al—the emphatic indersement of that act by the French people, in re-electing your Majesty for an ad ditional term of ten years by a vote of nearly seven millions—the re-establishment of the empire by the Senate of France, confirmed by a popular vote of nearly eight millions—the Roman question—the Crimean campaign—the liberation of Italy-the Mexican question, and the lifteen years of peace, prosperity, and hap-piness enjoyed under your Majesty's reign-fifeen years of such tranquillity and progress as the kingdom never experienced before during all the centuries of the past-when I recall these scenes to mind, I cannot but regard the career of your Majesty as the sublimest drama of the nineteenth century; and it seems to me a matter of great moment that a truthful record of these events should be transmitted to posterity.1 It perhaps would not be proper for me to

record the frank remarks which the Emperor made in response. One sentiment, however, which he uttered, it cannot be wrong to state. In reference to the fifteen years of prosperity such as absolutely never before France has enjoyed, under his Majesty's reign, the Emperor remarked:-

"That is true, Mr. Abbott, it is certainly true; and it is a suggestive fact that during these fifteen years France has never witnessed the shadow of an insurrection or of a barricade in Then, after a moment's pause, he added:-

'It must be obvious to every unprejudiced mind, that all the measures of the Administra-tion are endeavors to promote the peace and In reference to the Mexican question I re-

"I have always felt it to be a great mistake that our Government did not lend its moral support to the only Government which it seemed to me promised the restoration of peace and order to Mexico. The overthrow of the Empire inevitably plunges that unhappy people into that state of chronic anarchy which has

desolated the country for half a century,"
To this view the Emperor expressed his assent, saying:—"I have regretted deeply having been so much misunderstood in America. It seemed to me that it was for the interest of the United States, as well as for the interests of Mexico, that there should be a stable Government there, which should secure protection to the people and develop industry." He also expressed an earnest desire to maintain friendly relations with the United States.

The interview was prolonged for nearly an I saw no visible indications of ill-health, though the Emperor looked decidedly older than when I saw aim fourteen years ago. He alluded, in the course of the conversation, to that interview, which he remembered. As I took my leave he took me cordially by the hand, expressed the intention to see me again, and graviled me by the assurance that he should send to my address a copy of all his published works-which are quite voluminous-foa the Emperor intellectually one of the most highly

cultivated men in Europe.

The next evening I was honored with a public presentation to the Emperor and Empress at a magnificent soirce in the Tuileries. Four thousand guests were present. The presenta-tion scene was very imposing. It may not be improper for me to state that I was honored by particular attention. When my name was mentioned the Emperor approached, and taking

me by the hand, said:—
"I am happy to see you, Mr. Abbott: I bid you welcome to the palace of the Tutleries." This was an honor which was not conferred upon any one else. It is with a continually besitating pen that I briefly record these scenes. I am fully aware that I will expose myself to imputations that will be painful to me. sure I have many kind friends in New Haven who will read this record with interest.

Political Items.

-The Greenville (Ala.) Advocate, of March 8, calls attention to the following telegrams which passed between Judge Porter and Senator Sherman, in relation to the status of the civil and judicial officers of the State under the Military Reconstruction law:—

GREENVILLE, Ala., March 7, 1867.—To the Hon, John Sherman, Senator of the United States:—Cau officers of the State, ineligible under the Constitutional Government, now perform their first. functions under your bill, etc.?

BENJAMIN F. PORTER. To Benjamin F. Porter.—Your State officers can perform their functions until superseded by State Governments, organized under the new JOHN SHERMAN.

-The Rebel General Mahone, referring to the Reconstruction laws, says there are but two things left for the South to do-fight or surrender; and since it has neither men, money, guns, ships, or anything with which to carry on war, he thinks it plain that submission to

the demands of the conqueror must ensue. -The Litchtield Sentine and other Democratic journals in Connecticut having assailed Mr. P. T. Barnum for his reply to the letter from Torrington requesting to know if he in-tended purchasing votes in his district, as his opponent was represented to propose, Mr. Bar-num has published the following card:—

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To the Editor of the Litchfield Enquirer—Dear Sir:—The paragraph in the Litchfield Sentinel representing that "the Torrington letter" was a forgery, or was not written as and where it purfored to be, is utterly faiselin every particular. It came to me from Torrington, in due course of mail, and scores of similar others have been written to candidates of both parties. I will give \$1000 if the assertions of the Sentical in respectively.

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gard to that letter can be verified in any material respect P. T. BARNUM.

Bridgeport, Conn., March 12, 1867.

-Mr. John E. Hayes, editor of the Savannah Republican (Union), baying been found guilty, by a Rebel jury, of libel, and sentenced 'to pay a fine of \$800 and be confined one hour in jail," places at the head of his paper of March 12 the American flag, and beneath, the following:-'Here shall the press the people's rights main-

There shall the press the people's rights maintain, tain,
Unawed by influence and unbribed by gain;
Here Patriot Truth per glorious precepts draw,
Piedged to Religion, Liberty, and Law.
"Entrorial Room, Charham County Jail,
Maich II.—During the present political excitement it is our purpose to devote a large portion
of our space to the publication of the various
movements in different sections of the country,
intending thereby to lay before the readers of intending thereby to lay before the readers of the Republican the latest and most reliable news from all sections,"

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

FOR ADDITIONAL LOCAL ITEMS SEE OUTSIDE PAGES.] BROAD STREET IMPROVEMENT .- A large and important meeting of the property-holders of north Broad street took place last evening, at the Hall of the Mechanic Engine Company, Brown

Amos R. Little, Esq., was called to the Chair, and Richard Peterson, Esq., chosen Secretary.

A letter was read from Edwin Forrest, Esq., recommending that the centre of the street be planted with trees, flowers, &c , the walks shaded, and the freet on either side macadamized or payed with

William J. Howard, Esq., stated that the meet-ing was called to discuss the best means of improv-ing Broad street, and to take such action as might be necessary. He was in favor of the proposed im-provement. The Nicolson pavement having been suggested, he had conversed with a number of gen-

themen who had seen it in practical and extensive operation, and who were entirely disinterested, and they had all commended it highly.

A. B. Ivins, Esq., said he was one of the restdents on the square between Jefferson and Oxford streets, where this pavement was now laid, and that those living there would not return to the old sione pavement under any consideration. The Nicolson pavement made the square an attrac-tive drive both for sleighing and ordinary use. It was quiet, and, so far as wear was concerned, seemed to have borne the severity of last winter without any damage to it. It could easily be taken

without any damage to it. It could easily be taken up for the laying of pipes, etc.

In answer to inquiries in reference to cost, durability, &c., William McMichael, Esq., attoracy for the patentees, made statements showing that the Nicolson pavement was more economical than stone, and read some statistics showing how much the payement was liked, and how extensively or-dered in places where it had been thoroughly tested.

Thomas P. Hughes, Esq., said he was in favor of the Nicolson pavement, which he had seen for years past in Chicago. He confirmed all the statements which had been made regarding it, and warmly commended its adoption. Messrs. Waton, Blackburn, Colladay and others spoke, also,

in its favor.

James Whetham, Eq., said he had come from a long distance to urge the improvement of Broad street. We should have a fine drive on it. Mr. Bouvier objected to property holders being put to the additional expense of new pavements. Mr. Whetham asked what would France be without What would Paris be without its boule-

After some further discussion, On motion the sense of the meeting was taken as to what kind of pavement should be adopted. One yote was given in favor of Belgian, the rest being for Nicolson. The question being then put whether the paving should be from curb to curb, or only in the centre of the street, but one yote was given for limiting the improvement to the centre. On motion the chairman was requested at leizure to appoint a committee of one for each square to ascertain the views of property holders, etc. The meeting then adjourned to meet two weeks

FUNDS FOR THE POPE.—The following letter is of interest to the Roman Catholic community: Rev. Dear Sir—The extreme financial difficulties nto which our Holy Father, the Pope, has been plunged by a systematic continuation of sacrile-gious robbers and injustice, induced the Prelates, assembled at Baitimore in the Second Plenary Council, to decree by a unanimous vote than an annual collection should be taken up for the relief of this Holyness. The selection of the day for of His Holiness. The selection of the day for making this collection was left to the discretion of the respective prelates. We have selected Passion Sunday, April 7th, for the collection in this dio-cese. The list of names and the returns should be completed and sent in before Low Sunday. We hope to bear with us personally the offering of our diocese, and to place this tribute of fidelity and affection of our people to the Holy See in the hands of the Holy Father himself.

hands of the Holy Father himself.

This is one among many reasons why we urge the reverend pastors to impress on their congregations the necessity of an unusual liberality in their contributions. Other more powerful reasons may be found in the actual destitution of the Holy See, caused by the diversion of almost all its sources of example into the offers of the sacrilegious desposier revenue into the coffers of the sacrilegious despoiler of the pairimony of St. Peter. It seems to be the policy of the King of Italy, who abstains for the present from any further attack on the possessions of the Church, and of the Emperor of France, who still professes to protect the Holy Father in his still professes to protect the Holy Fainer in his present dominion, having dried up almost every source of revenue, to wait patiently until, by their previous action, he becomes hopelessly bankrupt and, having been deprived of the nerves and sinews of government, is compelled by the absolute necessity of his position to drop the reins from his hands. It is only by the united action of the faithful throughout the world that this catastrophe can be averted; and we trust in God that our faithful people will be found foremost among those ful people will be found foremost among those who, rushing to the rescue, co-operate in achieving

so desirable a result. We prescribe the following plan for making the collection: After the Gospel of the respective masses of the Sunday selected, the pastor or assistant will make an urgent appeal to the congrega-tion, explaining as fully as possible the necessi-tons condition of the Holy Father. Immediately thereafter, with as many assistants as he may deem necessary, he will proceed among the people and, taking the names, will afford to each one an

opportunity to subscribe. I am, very respectfully, your obedient servant Christ, Bishop of Philadelphia.

MEETING OF THE FRANKLIN INSTITUTE.-The regular monthly meeting was held last evening.
After the usual business, the paper announced
for the evening was read by Mr. Alexander Bal-lantyne, on Ground Batteries. The Secretary's
report on Novelties in Science and the Melanic Arts was then read by Professor Morton in the course of which he exhibited some very beautiful experiments. A general discussion followed, in which various interesting novel-ties were mentioned by members, and the meeting was adjourned at a late hour, after a session of much interest.

SHORT FIRE.—The alarm of fire last night was occasioned by a slight burning at the flour and feed store No. 1740 Market street.

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Steamship J. W. Everman, Tottle, for Philadelphia,
went to sea from Charleston 17th inst.
Barque T. Whitney, Keily, from London for Philadelphia, at Bermuda sth inst., ready for sea.
Harque C. Starrett, Gregory, for Philadelphia, at Matanzas 12th inst.
Brig Minnie, Norden, for Philadelphia, at Matanzas 12th inst.

Brig Coria, Marsters, hence for Antwerp, before reorted at Bermuda, in distress, has been condemned
and sold, together with her cargo.
Brig E. A. Kennedy, Hoffses, for Havre, was up at
sew Orleans 15th inst.
Brig Moses Day, Eldridge, for Philadelphia, cleared
at Hotterdam 4th inst.
Schr Cynthia Jane, Bellows, from Providence for
Philadelphia at Newport 15th inst.
Schr Orozimbo, Orcutt, for Philadelphia, cleared at
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schr. D. and E. Kelly, Kelly, from Portland for Phielphla, at New York yesterday.

schrs D. S. Siber, Huntley, hence, and M. Brewster,
ase, from Beliast for Philadelphia, at Portland 18th schr Typboon, Williams, hence for Bath, at New ork yesterday. or Maggie P. Smith, Grace, hence, at Providence 6th inst. Schr',J. Williamson, Jr., Corson, hence, at Rich-mond 17th inst. Schr W. Hupper, Hupper, for Philadelphia, at Ma-Schr Fanny Keating, Daniels, hence, at Boston 19th

Schrs J. C. Brooks, Burgess, and Pearl, Brown, from Schrs J. C. Brooks, Burgess, and Pearl, Brown, from Sosion for Philacelphia, at New York yesterday.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

NOTICE TO MARINERS Channel Islands—Harbor Lights us St. Peter Ports Guernsey.—The Harbor Master of St. Peter Ports Guernsey, has given notice that, from the ist day of March, 1867, a new Harbor Light will be exhibited a the southern entrance of the outer harbor, on the eastern extremity of the Castle Breakwater, St. Peter Port.

The light will be a fixed white light, elevated fortysix feet above the high water level of the sea, and in
clear weather should be seen from a distance of nine
miles. It shows a bright light bearing from N., round
by E. to S., and as a dim light, landward, from S.,
round by W. to N.

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Castle Cornet, and from it—
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miles.

iles. Vale Castle bears NE, ½ N., nearly two miles. Windmill on Sark bears SE, by E., six and a half

Old Harbor Light bears NW, by W. 14 W., four Lower Heads Buoy bears SE, by S., two and a quar-Brehon bears E. by N. 1/4 N., one and three-quarters Also, that from the 1st day of March, 1867, the old light at the entrance of the Inner harbor will be colored red. All bearings are magnetic. Variation 21 degrees 20

By command of their lordships,
GEO, HENRY RICHARDS, Hydrographer,
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London, February
16, 1867.

DOMESTIC PORTS,

New York, March 20.—Arrived, steamship Rebecca
Clyde, Suyder, trom Newbern,
Ship Robin Hook, Kelly, from San Francisco,
Ship Antelope, Hale, from Shangbae,
Ship Favorita, Bush, from Liverpool,
Barque Powhattan, Patten, from Canton,
flarque Lord Palmerston, from Montevideo,
Brig Henrietta, Newbold, from Bermuda,
Brig I. L. Wadsworth, Bailey, from Cleafuegos,
Brig Katte, Robinson, from St. Croix,
Brig E. Dean, Athinson, from Curacoa,
Schr E. H. Gott, Email, from Altavela,
Cleared, steamships City of Cork, Bridgeman, Liverpool; Albemarie, Bourne, Richmond; Saratoga, King,
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